

50% discount on metro tickets on holidays:

Metro train rides in Chennai on all government holidays will from now on cost half the present fare. Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL) has announced a 50% discount on tickets in a bid to encourage people to use the transit facility. In a release, CMRL said the discount could be availed for rides on Sundays and public holidays starting October 27 until further notice. The discount is available on all metro travel tickets except for trip pass and pass for unlimited rides. At present, CMRL gives a 10% discount for commuters travelling with smartcards.